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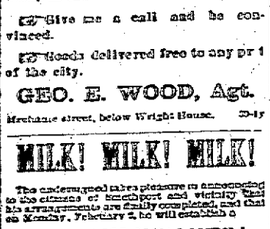

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We're weaving, we're weaving.

"Cursed be the lord to whom we call,
In winter's cold and hunger's pain,
We have hoped and waited in vain, in vain.
He has doped and cheated and fooled us all.
We're weaving, we're weaving.

"Cursed be the king, the rich man's king,
Untouched by the sight of our misery,
Who squeezed the farthings from every one,
And shot us like dogs when the last was gone.
We're weaving, we're weaving.

"Cursed be the treacherous fatherland,
Where shame and disgrace go hand in hand.
Where the bud is blighted before its time,
But the rankly worm may reach its prime.
We're weaving, we're weaving.

"The shuttle whirs, the wheels in flight,
Rudly spin we, day and night,
Oh, Germany, thy shroud we spin.
And weave a threefold curse therein.
We're weaving, we're weaving."

MY STOWAWAY.

From the Detroit Free Press.

One night towards eleven o'clock I stood at the stern of that fine Atlantic steamship, the City of Venice, which was plowing its way through the darkness to America. I leaned on the rounded bulwark and enjoyed a smoke as I gazed on the luminous trail the wheel was making in the quiet sea. Some one touched me on the shoulder, saying, 'Beg pardon, sir,' and on straightening up I saw in the dim light a man whom at first I took to be one of the steerage passengers. I thought he wanted to get past me, for the room was somewhat restricted in the passage between the aft wheel house and the stern, and I moved aside. The man looked hurriedly to one side and then the other and approaching, said in a whisper, 'I'm starving, sir!'

'Why don't you go and get something to eat then. Don't they give you plenty forward?'

'I suppose they do, sir, but I'm a stowaway. I got on at Liverpool. What little I took with me is gone, and for two days I've had nothing.'

'Come with me. I'll take you to the steward, and he'll fix you all right.'

'O, no, no, no,' he cried, trembling with excitement. 'If you speak to any of the officers or crew I'm lost. I assure you, sir, I'm an honest man. I am indeed, sir. It's the old story—nothing but starvation at home, so my only chance seemed to be to get this way to America. If I'm caught I shall get dreadful usage and will be taken back and put in jail.'

'O, you're mistaken. The officers are all courteous gentlemen.'

'Yes, to you cabin passengers they are. But to a stowaway—that's a different matter. If you can't help me, sir, please don't inform on me.'

'How can I help you but by speaking to the captain or purser?'

'Get me a morsel to eat.'

'Where were you hid?'

'Right here, sir, in this place,' and he put his hand on the square deck edifice beside us. This seemed to be a sort of a spare wheel-house, to be used if anything went wrong with the one in front. It had a couple of doors on each side and there were windows all round it. At present it was piled full of those cane folding steamer chairs and other odds and ends.

'I crawl in between the chairs and the wall and get under that piece of carpenin by the end here.'

'Well, your sure of being caught, for the first fine day all those chairs will be taken out and the deck steward can't miss you.'

The man sighed as I said this and said, the chances were much against him. Then, starting up, he cried: 'Poverty is the great crime. If I had stolen some one else's money I would have been able to take cabin passage instead of—'

'If you weren't caught.'

'Well, if I were caught what then? I would be well fed and taken care of.'

'O, they'd take care of you.'

'The waste food in this great ship would feed a hundred hungry wretches like me. Does my presence keep the steamer back a moment of time? No. Well, who is harmed by my trying to better myself in a new world? No one. I am begging for a crust from the lavish plenty all because I am struggling to be honest. It is only when I become a thief that I am out of danger of starvation—caught or free.'

'There, there, now, don't speak so loud or you'll have some one here. You hang round and I will bring you some provender. What would you like to have? Poached eggs on toast, some turkey or—'

The wretch sank down at my feet as I said this, and recognizing the cruelty of it I hurried down into the saloon and hunted up a steward who had not turned in:

'Yes, sir, certainly sir; beef; or 'am, sir?'

'Both, and a cup of coffee, please.'

'Well, sir, I'm afraid there's no coffee, sir, but I could make you a pot of tea in a moment, sir.'

'All right and bring them to my room, please?'

'Yesser.'

In a very short time there was that faint steward rap at the state room door and a most appetitizing tray load was placed at my service.

When the waiter was safely gone I hurried up the companion way with much the air of a man who is stealing fowls, and I found my stowaway just in the position I had left him.

'Now pitch in,' I said. 'I'll stand guard forward here, and if you hear me cough strike for cover. I'll explain the tray matter if it's found.'

He simply said: 'Thank you, sir,' and I went forward. When I came back the tray had been swept clean and the teapot emptied. My stowaway was making for his den when I cried, 'How about to-morrow?'

He answered, 'This will do me for a couple of days.'

'Nonsense. I'll have a square meal for you here in the corner of this wheelhouse, so that you can get it without trouble. I'll leave it about this time to-morrow night.'

'You won't tell any one, any one at all, sir.'

'No. At least I'll think over the matter, and if I see a way out I'll let you know.'

'God bless you, sir.'

I turned the incident over in my mind a good deal that night, and I almost made a resolution to take Cupples into my confidence. Rodger Cupples, a lawyer of San Francisco, sat next me at the table, and with the freedom of wild westerners we were already well acquainted, although only a few days out. Then I thought of putting a suppositious case to the captain—he was a thorough gentleman—and if he spoke generously of the suppositious case I would spring the real one on him. The stowaway had impressed me by his language as being a man worth doing something for.

Next day I was glad to see that it was rainy. There would be no demand for ship chairs that day. I felt that real sunshiny weather would certainly uncarth, or uncheir, my stowaway. I met Cupples on deck and we walked a few rounds together.

At last Cupples, who had been telling me some stories of court trials in San Francisco, said, 'Let's sit down and wrap up. This deck's too wet to walk on.'

'All the seats are damp,' I said.

'I'll get out my steamer chair, Steward,' he cried to the deck steward who was shoving a mop back and forth, 'get me my chair. There's a tag on it, 'Berth 36.'

'No, no,' I cried, hastily; 'let's go into the cabin. It's raining.'

'Only a drizzle. You won't hurt at sea, you know.'

By this time the deck steward was hauling down chairs trying to find No. 96, which, I felt sure, would likely be near the bottom. I could not control my anxiety as the steward got nearer and nearer the tarpaulin. At last I cried:

'Steward, never mind the chair; take the first two that come handy.'

Cupples looked astonished and, as we sat down I said:

'I have something to tell you, and I trust to your honor to say nothing about it to any one else. There's a man under those chairs.'

The look that came into the lawyer's face showed that he thought me demented, but when I told him the whole story the judicial expression came on and he said, shaking his head:

'Sharp, that's bad business.'

'I know it.'

'Yes, but it's worse than you have any idea of. I presume that you don't know what section 4738 of the Revised Statutes says?'

'No, I don't.'

'Well, it is to the effect that any person or persons, wilfully or with malice aforethought or otherwise, who shall aid, abet, succor or cherish, either directly or indirectly or by implication, any person who feloniously or secretly conceals himself on any vessel, barge, brig, schooner, bark, clipper, steamship or other craft touching at or coming within the jurisdiction of these United States, the said person's purpose being the defrauding of the revenue of, or the escaping of any or all of the just legal dues exacted by such vessel, barge, etc., the person so aiding or abetting shall, in the eye of the law, be considered as accomplice before, during and after the illegal act, and shall in such case be subject to the penalties according thereunto, to wit: a fine of not more than $5,000, or imprisonment of not more than two years, or both at the option of the judge before whom the party so accused is convicted.'

'Great Heavens! is that really so?'

Well, it isn't word for word, but that is the purport. Of course, if I had my books here I—why, you've doubtless heard of the case of the Pacific Steamship Company vs. Cumberland. Well, I was retained on behalf of the company. Now all Cumberland did was to allow the man—he was sent up for two years—to carry his valise on board, but we proved the intent. Like a fool he boasted of it, but the steamer brought back the man and Cumberland got off with $4,000 and cost. Never got out of that scrape less than $10,000. Then again, the steamship Peruvian vs. McNish; that is even more to the——'

'See here, Cupples. Come with me to-night and see the man. If you heard him talk you would see the inhumanity——'

'Tush, I'm not fool enough to mix up in such a matter, and look here, you'll have to work it pretty slick if you get yourself out. The man will be caught as sure as fate; then knowingly or through fright he'll incriminate you.'

'What would you do if you were in my place?'

'My dear sir, don't put it that way. It's a reflection on both my judgment and my legal knowledge. I couldn't be in such a scrape. But as a lawyer—minus the fee—I'll tell you what you should do. I would give the man up before witnesses—before *witnesses*. I'll be one of them myself. Get as many of the cabin passengers as you like out here, to-day, and let the officers search. If he charges you with what the law terms support, deny it, and call attention to the fact that you have your information. By the way, I would give written information and keep a copy.'

'I gave the man my word not to inform on him and so I can't do it to-day, but I'll tell him of it to-night.'

'And have him commit suicide or give himself up first and incriminate you? Nonsense. Just release yourself from your promise. That's all. He'll trust you.'

'Yes, poor wretch, I'm afraid he will.'

About ten o'clock that night I resolved to make another appeal to Rodger Cupples to at least stand off and hear the man talk. Cupples' stateroom, No. 96, was in the forward part of the short steamer down a long passage and off a short side passage. Mine was aft the cabin. The door of 96 was partly open, and inside an astonishing sight met my gaze.

There stood my stowaway.

He was evidently admiring himself in the glass and with a brush was touching up his face with dark paint here and there. When he put on the woe-begone look he was the stowaway; when he painted up and chuckled to himself he was Rodger Cupples, Esq.

The moment the thing dawned upon me I quietly withdrew and went up the forward companion way. Soon Cupples came cautiously up and seeing the way clear scudded along in the darkness and hid in the aft wheelhouse. I saw the whole thing now. It was a scheme to get me to make a fool of myself some fine day before the rest of the passengers and have a standing joke on me. I walked forward. The first officer was on duty.

'I have reason to believe,' I said, 'that there is a stowaway in the aft wheel-house.' Quicker than it takes me to tell it a detachment of sailors were sent aft under the guidance of the third mate. I went through the cabin and said to the gentlemen who were playing cards and reading:

'There's a row up stairs of some kind.'

We were all on deck before the crew had surrounded the wheel-house. There was a rattle of steamer folded chairs, a scrimmage by the third mate and out came the unfortunate Cupples, dragged by the collar.

'Hold on; let go—this is a mistake.'

'It's a mistake to both hold on and let go,' said Stalker, of Indiana.

'Come out o' this,' cried the mate, jerkin him forward.

With a wrench the stowaway tore himself free and made a dash for the companion way. A couple of sailors instantly tripped him up.

'Let go of me. I'm a cabin passenger,' cried Cupples.

'Bless me,' I cried in astonishment. 'This isn't you, Cupples? Why, I acted on your own advice and that of revised Statutes No. whatever-they-were.'

'Well, act on my advice again,' cried the infuriated Cupples, 'and go to the —hold.'

However, he was in a better humor the next day and stood treat all round. We found subsequently that Cupples was a New York actor, and at the entertainment given for the benefit of the sailors' orphans a few nights after he recited a piece in costume that just melted the ladies. It was voted a wonderfully touching performance, and he called it 'The Stowaway.'

Cause of the Egyptian War.

The origin of the present Egyptian campaign dates from the reign of Ismail Pasa, a shrewd and unscrupulous intriguer, who succeeded Said Pasha in 1863, and accumulated a fortune from the exportation of cotton during our civil war. This money he lavished on Turkish officials till he soon found himself a favorite with the Sultan and endowed with almost regal power. He had been educated in Paris, and his ambition was to Europeanize Egypt and make Cairo the Paris of the East. To accomplish this purpose he borrowed money by the million at the most exorbitant rates of interest. This money was not devoted to national purposes, but was devoted to Oriental display, in bribing favorite friends of the Sultan in Constantinople, in covering Egypt with palaces, and stocking harems. The fellahs, or native population, were robbed to pay the interest on these debts from which they derived no benefit, and which they had no share in contracting, and when the money could not be raised the Khedive's tax-gatherers used to surround the villages, catch the inhabitants and ply the bastinado till the taxes were paid.

At last things came to such a pass that Ismail could borrow no more money, and the fellahs could pay no more taxes. In the interest of the bondholders, mostly English and French, Ismail was deposed and his son, the present ruler, made Khedive. To secure payment on the bonds a joint or dual control was established over Egyptian finances by England and France, Sir Rivers Wilson, the English representative, dismissed from public employment all the native Egyptian officials and flooded the country with a swarm of hungry English officials, who knew nothing about Egypt save that it owed them exorbitant salaries. A spirit of disaffection soon manifested itself, and a national party was formed, headed by Arabi Pasha, an officer of the army. A brawl occurred in the streets of Alexandria, which was magnified by the English press into a wholesale massacre, and measures were taken by the English government to suppress the Egyptian national party, now in incipient rebellion against the Khedive, who was only a puppet in the hands of his English and French masters. France to co-operate with England in suppressing the rebellion, and the latter resolved to act alone. Admiral Seymour bombarded Alexandria, and Wolseley, passing through the Suez canal, met the Egyptian army at Tel-el-Keber, defeated it and captured Arabi Pasha, who was banished to Ceylon.

Meantime the Arabs of the Soudan an immense tract of country comprising Kordofan, Nubia proper, Sensar and Toka on the East, and some Nile districts further south,—under the leadership of El Mahdi, the False Prophet, had risen in rebellion against English rule, and held the Egyptian garrisons prisoners. The Soudan region had been gradually annexed since 1820, but was never reduced to complete subjection. It was the centre of the great African slave trade, which had always been unsuppolized by the Arabs, and which was partially broken up by Sir Samuel Baker and Gen. Gordon, in the service of the Khedive, some years before. England having undertaken to restore order in Egypt now found herself compelled to liberate the Egyptian garrisons and suppress the Mahdi's rebellion. The Arabs, on the other hand, were instigated to resistance under the impulses of patriotism, religious fanaticism and the profits of slave catching.

To Wait for an Answer.

A young lady living in Dallas, Texas, dismissed the young man to whom she was engaged because he drank. A few days after she had told him she would never speak to him again a little negro boy brought a note from the wretched young man, whom we shall call George. The note read: "Faithless, yet still beloved, Fanny. My sufferings are more than I can bear. I cannot live without your love. I have, therefore, just taken poison, the effects of which I am already beginning to feel. When you read these lines I will already have joined the great silent majority. I will be a corpse. See that I am decently buried and shed a silent tear over my tomb in remembrance of the happy days gone by. Your Dear George." When the young lady had finished reading the note she asked the little negro who brought it what he was waiting for. "De gemman tole me ter wait for an answer."

Don't Spill the Milk.

"There is no use crying over spilled milk," says the old saw. If your ales are not only half, but have no life in the roots of your hair, there is no use crying over that, either. Take both time and yourself by the forelock while there is a forelock left. Apply Parker's Hair Balsam to your hair before matters get worse. It will arrest the falling off of your hair and restore its original color, gloss and softness. It is a perfect dressing, withal, clean, richly perfumed, cools and heals the scalp.

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"My wife?"
"Who?"
"Was a very pretty blonde?"
"Twenty years ago, became
"Sallow?"
"Hollow-eyed?"
"Withered and aged?"
Before her time, from
"Malaria vapors, though she made no particular complaint, not being of the grumpy kind, yet causing me great uneasiness.

"A short time ago I purchased your remedy for one of the children, who had a very severe pleuro-pneumonia, and it occurred to me that this remedy would help my wife, as I found that our little girl, upon recovery had

"Lost!"

"Her sallowness, and looked as fresh as a new blown daisy. Well the story is soon told. My wife to-day, has gained her old-timed beauty with compound interest, and is now as handsome a matron (if I do say it myself) as can be found in this county, which is noted for pretty women. And I have only Hop Bitters to thank for it.

"The dear creature just looked over my shoulder, and says 'I can flatter equal to the days of our courtship,' and that reminds me there might be *more pretty* notices if my brother farmers would do as I have done."

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E. BOOTH.
Editor and Proprietor.

Smethport, Pa., Feb. 20, 1885.

WILL Mr Hayes handed the government of Louisiana over to the democrats, the plea in their power to send a government of the people there, and the murder of Murphy by a Judge and his posse of city officers, and the failure to convict is the natural result. It is a significant fact that a negro was the only man on the jury to insist upon a conviction, the eleven white jurors justifying the charge made by the papers that no murder what the evidence might be, an impartial trial could not be had. What's the state coming where Hayes puts it, in the hands of the rebel gamblers and bandits of the population, immaterial outbidders are and going to be either neutral or benevolent. Shoulder check, as Hayes reviews his work it would upset his stomach with such for dinner than farming. Harrisburg *Telegraph*.

A dispatch from Washington of Monday last says: "The bill to place General Grant on the retired list of the army was defeated in the House this afternoon after one of the hottest debates of the session. On the motion to suspend the rules the vote stood 165 yeas to 103 nays, not two-thirds favoring the bill. The bill was first passed by the senate, in which General Grant was mentioned by name." The rebel brigadiers and their northern allies will never forgive that clause for the part he took in their humiliation at Appomattox.

The prominent Democrats are reported as be amazed and discouraged at Mr Cleveland's political ignorance regarding the party leaders in various states. We are not at all surprised. The president elect's lack of knowledge on many subjects has been notable to the average eye for some time, and is the main low to which the astonishment of Democratic statesmen at their chief's mind he notions and school boy statesmanship will doubtless have ample opportunity to expand to the utmost.—*New York Tribune*.

The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* says, that Mr Cleveland is credited with the remark that there should be no "reconstruction" in the search for cabinet material. He might have chosen a more sensible word," as Mr Weller observes, to express his meaning, but he could not well have hit upon one but for said related to remind a certain class of Democratic politicians that the mere fact of their being above ground does not signify that they are still alive and in the race.

ON the March the McClintock Oil Company of this county, decided to amend the charter increasing the capital stock from $100,000 to $2,000,000 and giving the directors power to sell the real estate without first obtaining the consent of the stockholders. Notice of the amendments was filed in the state department and on Friday last Governor Pattison refused to approve the increase of capital stock, but approved the amendment relating to the lien laws.

GOVERNOR PATTISON punishes the only state inmate by withholding appointments to the official service of the commonwealth. In other words, one of the constituent branches of the government gets itself to obstruct the operation of the others. That, we believe, is what the governor calls statesmanship, but the old-fashioned name is outrage.

A DISPATCH was issued at the state superintendent in Harrisburg, on Saturday last, to the Warrens and Sugar Grove Railroad, which will run a line from Warren to a point on the state line between New York and Pennsylvania. The length will be fifteen miles and the capital stock $60,000. George F. Lee, of Warren, is president.

PRAISE is now said to be "talk of Cleveland Methodists for postmaster general." We hope not. What would become of the last man, and what assistant would one have that he would remove his letters in a month? "Masterly inactivity" would not do in the post-office department.—*Albany Journal* (rep.)

THE appointment of Hon. William A. Wallace to a cabinet position by President-elect Cleveland, would prove eminently satisfactory to the citizens of Pennsylvania of every shade of political opinion, excepting a very delicate few represented by the railroad magnate, Tom Scott, of Star

AT the democratic banquet in Pittsburg, a few days ago since, an enthusiastic Cleveland man looked at the telegraphic message from Mr. Tilden, and said with a hiccup, "Any —— fool could tell the old man wasn't paralyzed and all broke up. Look at that handwriting."

ELEVATOR BOWEN thinks the correct form for all bills should now read "Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled."

THE secret of Cleveland's going to the Victoria Hotel is out. He used to play keep-away with Billy Wise, who keeps that hostelry. May be Billy will be wise enough to get something for Mason Fairchild's (Rep.)

THE Ohio people are feeling happy over the prospect of getting rid of their democratic legislature for the ten days it will take the members to attend Governor Hoadly's inauguration and sober up.

THE PAY OF THE JUDGES.

There has been very much senseless babble in the papers of the state about the pay some of the Common Pleas Judges have received for holding courts outside their districts. Under the laws a case cannot be tried before a judge who is any way interested in it, either pecuniarily or as having at some time been connected with the case professionally. The property of this provision will be readily appreciated by any intelligent citizen. In order that suitors shall not suffer inconvenience and delay in the trial of such cases the judge is authorized to call upon a neighboring judge to hold a week of court now and then for the disposition of these cases. It is almost uniformly the case that judges are selected from the ranks of the ablest and most experienced men in the profession. They are attorneys of large practice, and it will be years after they have taken their seats on the bench before the cases in which they are interested will be disposed of. For instance, take the case of Judge Olmsted in this district. He was interested in most of the important cases in the two counties of this district, when called to the bench. There is no man clothed with the judicial ermine in Pennsylvania who more faithfully, faithfully or conscientiously discharges the duties of the position than he, and yet there are many cases in the courts of McKean and Potter counties which cannot be tried by him. It becomes necessary, therefore, for him to have occasionally a list of these cases certified to Judge Brown of Warren, Judge Williams of Tioga, or Judge Taylor of Bradford, for trial.

Up to this time these judges have very properly been paid for this extra labor by the state, but it is now proposed by some wonderfully astute newspaper reporters, that Judge Olmsted should pay the expense attending the holding of his courts by outside judges, out of his own pocket. The bills which have been paid Judges Mosher of Northumberland, Mayer of Clinton, Brown of Warren, Bredin of Butler and others, have been paraded through the papers, as raids upon the treasury, and as though the money had been improperly obtained. The judges of the state, outside of Philadelphia, Allegheny and Dauphin counties, are paid $4000 a year, which is a niggardly salary, considering the ability of the men filling these positions, and the character and importance of the same. It is $3000 a year less than the attorney general or secretary of the commonwealth receives. It is less than many of the leading salesmen or bookkeepers of prominent mercantile houses are paid. The income from their practice, of many of the judges of the state, before they became judges, was double what they now receive in salaries. One of the gentlemen who has been published as a public plunderer, received as a retainer in one case more than his entire salary for a year. If they are made to pay the expenses of other judges for holding such courts as they cannot hold, there will be several judges to elect in the state very soon after that fact is established.

ABOUT APPORTIONMENTS.

It is pretty well settled that if an apportionment bill is passed at this session of the legislature, McKean will be connected with Cameron, Potter Warren and Venango counties. This is the district as proposed in the senate bill. The house bill adds the county of Forest to the district, and we hope this will be the bill which will be finally adopted. There is an effort made in the senate bill to connect Clarion county to the Elk-Clearfield district. This can only be done by making Forest the connecting link, thereby burying a small but as devoted a band of republicans as can be found in any county in the commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Forest county has never yet faltered on her republicanism the tower fails to send a republican to the legislature, and it is inflicting a great wrong upon the republicans of that county to bury them under the avalanche of democratic votes which are annually piled up in the counties of Clarion, Clearfield, Centre, Clinton and Elk. The republicans of Forest may as well be told, "Go your way, we have no further use for you." The original McCracken bill placed Forest county in this district, and it is where she naturally belongs. Her interests are identical with those of McKean, Warren and Venango, and the sentiment is universal that she should become an integral part of our district. Then again why should not the McCracken bill be adopted by the legislature? It was eminently fair, and the people of the state have, in two elections, endorsed that bill by overwhelming majorities. It gives the republicans eighteen members of congress and the democrats ten. Is it right for the republicans to ask more than that? Are they not making a mistake in attempting to grab another district? We think so.

NEVER HEARD OF HIM.

The Wilmington *Star*, a leading paper of Delaware, relates the following good thing on the incoming president: or on an ex-governor of North Carolina. The friends of the ex-governor will hardly appreciate a joke of this character. It says

"There is a North Carolina democrat in the city who has just returned from a visit to Mr Cleveland. He was an elector, and was pleasantly received by the president-elect. He is quoted as saying that Mr Cleveland asked him

"'Who is this Mr Jarvis, of your state?'

"'Why,' replied the North Carolinian, 'don't you know our ex governor?'

"'Never heard of him in my life until his name was presented here for a cabinet position,'" replied the president-elect.

This candid talk of the North Carolinian reached the ears of some of the members of congress of that state, men of experience in the affairs of life, and it seems they framed him up and confessed him not to tell tales out of school. He was particularly warned to "keep out of the clutches of those newspaper men."

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

Congress is now doing nothing or nearly nothing. Both houses meet daily, have prayer, go through with routine business, and talk, but say nothing. There are plenty of debates, replies to insinuations, and objections but no important action. The only question that can be carried without a dissenting voice is that of adjournment.

Although Congressmen are notoriously derelict in the matter of being present at the opening prayer until last Wednesday morning I do not remember ever to have heard the chaplain invoke the divine blessing upon the deliberations of the body when only one senator was his audience besides the president of the senate. Fortunately the chaplain's salary is safely arranged whether or not there is respectful attendance at his prayers. The senator referred to was Mr Jonas of Louisiana, who is a Hebrew. The backward state of the appropriation bills, and the impending deadlocks over some of them make it probable that the forty ninth congress will be called together in the early spring. Last week it was a matter that Congressmen considered improbable, but they have since realized that an extra session may become a necessity. Such wide changes the other way persons, as obstructive course in order to bring about the result. The republicans have nothing to gain by it, and Mr Beal, of Maine, one of the most prominent republican leaders in the house says he has heard only one republican member express a desire to remain at the capital during the summer. When the question was referred to in the senate, the weakest an emergent protest from Senator Ingalls, who it is understood voiced the views of the republicans in that body. In the house Mr Ravne changed the democrats with an effort to force an extra session so as to have an excuse for remaining in Washington where they can make direct personal appeals to the new president.

Cabinet speculations have not been so rife for the past day or two, though the subject has not lost interest. Mr Cleveland is now understood to be making his selections from 15 names, among which are those that have been repeatedly mentioned for the cabinet. The despatches express the hope that he will decide upon his cabinet and announce it very soon. The chosen ones can then make necessary preparations, and the rejected ones will have time to recover from their disappointment before Mr Cleveland arrives here. There will be some keen disappointments. The large number of aspirants for cabinet honors makes that an avoidable.

President Arthur will hold one more public reception before the close of his term, and it will occur late this week or during the early part of next when so many visitors will be in the city to attend the ceremonies of the Washington monument dedication.

In making provision for the accommodation of the thousands who are coming to the inauguration, dire arrangements have been made for the hundreds of pick pockets and thieves who are expected. Several days since I dropped into a detective's office where I found them engaged with about a bushel of photographs. These pictures represented the crooks of various cities, and had been sent by the police of those cities. There were several copies of each picture, and a regular gallery was being prepared for each precinct so that the officers could study the faces and arrest the originals if they met them on the streets. They were photographs of pick pockets principally but the bunco-breakers, the confidence man, the bunco man, the monte man, and every other species of criminal were there.

Difficulties and delays are connected with the preparation of the ball room for the Cleveland inauguration festivities, which forcibly recall similar difficulties associated with the second inaugural ball of Gen. Grant. An immense frame building was projected for that occasion on judiciary square, a short distance only from the new pension building in which the coming ball will be held. As the fourth of March drew near and delays in the completion of the building arose, the anxiety of the managers became intense. Extra forces of men were employed day, night and Sunday. Finally when the building was finished, the heating arrangements were found inadequate, and gas jets were resorted to which were kept burning day and night. The cold was severe on that eventful evening, and in spite of all that could be done, there was intense suffering at the ball. Gentlemen danced in their overcoats, and ladies in seal skin jackets and furs. A number of persons lost their lives in consequence of cold contracted there. Fortunately, the Cleveland ball room can be made warm whatever kind of winds the ides of March may bring.

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Washington, Feb. 16th '85.

HORRIBLE!

A dispatch from Springfield, West Virginia, relates the following terrible account of the burial of a young lady who it was afterwards ascertained was not dead. Is it strange that cremation is becoming popular with so many people?

"Mary Cox, a well known and popular young lady who lived near the mouth of the Little Cape River, was taken violently ill. The physician decided that she was suffering from neuralgia of the stomach, and prescribed morphine. A dose was administered at once, and another left with instructions to give it in 24 hours. For some reason the second dose was given in a very short time. An hour or two afterward the death of Miss Cox was announced, and two days later the body was buried. At the funeral one lady insisted that Miss Cox was not dead and begged that a physician be sent for. That night the dogs of a man living near the graveyard stationed themselves near the tomb and kept up a persistent howling. The next day the grave was opened, and, to the horror of all, it was found that the girl had been buried alive. The lining was torn from the sides of the casket, and the pillow was in shreds. The poor girl had literally stripped the clothes from her body. Her hands and arms were torn and bleeding, the lips were bitten through, and handfuls of her hair were torn from her head. The girl had come to life, and had evidently made a fearful struggle to escape. The terrible affair threw the community with horror."

THE democrats of the country will turn out en masse to witness the inauguration. They have waited some time.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Her Last Confidence.

Mrs. H. C. Hershberger, Manor Hill, Huntingdon County, Pa., writes: "Dr. S. B. HARTMAN & Co., Columbus, O.: I have been afflicted for three years, caused by over-work too soon after confinement. My kidneys became seriously affected; could not obtain any urine day nor night. It was high colored, thick and bloody. My menstrual had left altogether for fourteen months, during which time I was confined to my bed with a beating, rushing sensation. The discharge from the womb was so offensive no one could stay in the room. The urine continued bloody, with pain in voiding it, and when in bed would pass from me in my sleep. I have had three doctors attend me one regularly, one for four months, one of the others one whole summer, and the third all winter. We had two others in consultation with them, and used twenty bottles of different kinds of patent medicines, all to no good. I gave up all hopes of ever a well woman again. Since that time I have had pneumonia. My confidence in PE-RU-NA was so great that I did not send for a doctor. I followed the directions in your "Ills of Life" and am over it, as well as can be expected. I am determined I have been." Others in my neighborhood had the same disease, and among them were strong men, and had the best physicians, and yet died, while I sailed through in safety on PERUNA and HEALTH. I sincerely believe, and would say to all the afflicted on the wide world, that PERUNA and MANALIN are the only two medicines that any one needs in any disease, if used as directed in your book entitled "The Ills of Life."

J. E. Fleming, publisher of the New Dominion, Morgantown, W Va., writes: "Some months since, I received some of your medicine in exchange for advertising. My wife has taken five bottles of it, and has derived great benefit from it."

Mr M C Ginsburg, Bradenville, Pa., writes: "My wife has been using PERUNA for some time for weak lungs and liver and kidney complaint, and thanks it is doing her great good. Has used only two bottles as yet. Please send your book on the "Ills of Life," as we can't get any from our druggist."

Mr John Deane, Mt. Vernon, O., writes: "We have a large sale in PERUNA. It gives satisfaction."

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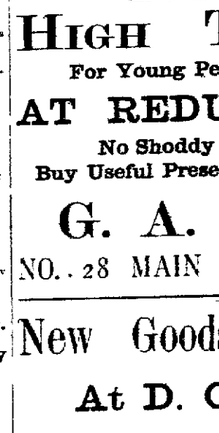

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

—Did you vote?

—Circuit court next week.

—Olean wants a military company.

—Next Sunday is Washington's birthday.

—Not much danger of malaria this weather.

—The hose company's annual ball was a success as usual.

—The election in the township was a warmly contested one.

—Sheriff H Chase is also the first man to Bradford on Friday last.

—The Producer's Exchange at Bradford has re-sprouted business.

—$1,865 was the neat little sum realized all by the charity ball at Bradford.

—The congregations of Christ church, Catholic church one week from next Tuesday.

—Lent begins Ash Wednesday. Social Jollification will take a rest in some circles.

—Alaska is larger than all of the United States east of the Mississippi river.

—If you want to be robbed of your good name, invest it unendorsed on your notebooks.

—Quite a number of young people of this place visited the Eldred skating rink last evening.

—The so called jail at this place is a very unpleasing structure, but it is not an entire success as a prison.

—The bars were all closed on Tuesday but somehow the charity voter got just as much whiskey for his vote as ever.

—We see by a dispatch from Washington of the 18th inst. that Evan's Landholm has been appointed post master at Dagol.

—Ex Mayor Gilroy of New York has been sentenced to fifteen days imprisonment and to pay a fine of $250 for contempt of court.

—The democrats rather swept things at the borough election last Tuesday. But we are perfectly satisfied. Wait Until another year.

—Mrs. A. T. Palmer, who for the past few weeks has been visiting her mother, Mrs. G. S. Sprague, at Mansfield, Conn., returned on Tuesday last.

—Mrs. Amelia Dagel, wife of the late John Dagel, is moving back again from Hamlin station to her old home on Water street in this borough.

—Senator Cameron has a new claim to fame. A hog with six legs beneath and two above on body, and two tails, was born on his farm last week.

—Coal petroleum is now used in the Brooklyn fire department en gines and the cost is said to be less than one-fifth that of coal. There are also no sparks.

—For the information of our Sap Van Winkle friend 'round the corner, we will say that he is "off his base" as regards the real nature of this paper. Try up, you old sinner.

—The clerk of the weather can treat out his muck of "beautiful spring" just as soon as he wants to. But he may have a few cold waves left that he don't want to carry over.

—The game of polo at the Pittsburg rink, between the Park Allegany and Smethport teams, was rather one sided. The score standing seven and one, in our favor.

—There is a great revival of religion in Old Berks County, Pa. Politicians are apprehensive that it will result in a reduction of the usual democratic majority.—Commercial Bulletin.

—It is shown that when Rome burned, Nichlas had not been invented. The Nero Nidding story is, therefore, to be laid away with the Captain John Smith Pocahontas and the Tell-Apple allegories.

—The appointment of Harry Mullen, as clerk of the board of commissioners of Cameron county is a deserving tribute to an accomplished type, an unswerving republican and a good fellow generally.

—"How do you like us now?"—Warren *Standby Mirror*.

Splendid! The *Mirror* is one of the handsomest papers in western Pennsylvania, and is always a welcome visitor to this office. Its recent enlargement is sufficient evidence that it is on the top wave of prosperity.

—We publish in another column the Time-Table of the Philadelphia and Erie railroad for Emporium Junction which went into effect Nov. 17, 1884. The correct Time Table of that road will be found in this paper in the future.

—"No," said a Vermont deacon, "I don't approve of horse races, but when another member of the church becomes so godless as to try to pass me on the road comes home from meeting, I feel it my duty to let out a little on the roans, just to keep him from putting his trust in earthly things."

—Thomas Harrington, of Smethport, who, without his knowledge, was billed with the company which failed to appear at the rink last Wednesday evening, is not a member of that or any other company, and has names to bring used with out his authority.—*Porter Journal.*

—Alabama has 351 saw and lumber mills, 32 shingle mills, 17 planing mills, 15 sash, door and blind factories, and 6 stave mills. The finest lumber lands in the state are penetrated by the Georgia line to and the Alabama and great southern railroads. Atlanta, Chattanooga and New Orleans are the chief markets.

—We are indebted to State Treasurer Livsey for a handsomely bound volume of his report on the finances of the state, for the fiscal year ending with November last. Mr Livsey tells the legislature many plain facts about the probable receipts of the treasury for two years to come, and in making appropriations it would be advisable for that august body to give heed to these facts.

—A member of our exchange says state that "P. H. Dean, of Smethport, is now the owner of the feeder Allegany Boy. Having purchased him of F. E. Rowley of Port Allegany." Allegany Boy is a roan stallion formerly (if not at present) owned by A. J. Coldren, of Derrick City, Allegany is the name of the borse sold to Mr. Dean who has since sold it to Bradford parties. Allegany Boy is the son of Woodis Hambletonian, while Allegany was sired by Rochester.—Port Allegany *Reporter.*

The Rose Ball.

The fourth annual reception of the hose company came off as advertised, on Wednesday evening last and was one of the finest ever held under the auspices of this company. Everything that could be done was done to make it a pleasant affair and the boys succeeded in doing so. The hall was handsomely decorated with flags and bunting and the company's new uniforms were worn by all to be seen and elegant. Just as the merry dancers got nicely started there was a break in the music and Capt A W Coburn, of the Bradford Fire Police, stepped forward and in a neat speech presented the company with a beautiful silver pitcher and goblets handsomely assorted, as an acknowledgment of courtesies extended by our firemen to the Fire Police last winter. It was a handsome present and a complete surprise to our company. Sheriff Ira Gordon acted as respond for the boys, but he could not keep his eyes off the pitcher long enough to say much, he was so surprised. The Citizen's Hose, No. 2, of Bolivar, had been invited but owing to the blockade of the Narrow Gauge rail roads only a few had the hardihood to brave to Elliot in search of a railroad that was open. Our boys never make a feature of anything they undertake, and this party was a success with a great big "Oh."

Took a Smash.

At about 7 a. m. Monday as Sheriff Bannon opened the jail door to see how his charge had passed the night he counted noses and could only make seventeen out of twenty three that he had to account for to the court. On examination it was found that a stone weighing about 300 pounds had been taken out of the outside wall in one of the cells on the third tier, and that six of the prisoners had made a dash for freedom. The way they effected their escape is as follows. The walls of the jail are built of stones twelve to sixteen inches thick, two feet wide and from two to four feet long, set in mortar. At the end of each stone is an iron pin or dowel, half an inch thick and one and a half inches wide, which is sunk into the stones to prevent them being pried out. It took six months of labor at odd times for the prisoners to loosen this stone. They removed the mortar around the dowels and by the means of case-knives, which they had "nicked" they succeeded in sawing them off. The dowels being severed, the mortar removed, they pried the stone into the cell with a bar of iron ink on from the same railing, and with the aid of the pail hose which is used in washing out the prison, made their descent very neatly. The sheriff immediately telegraphed to all surrounding towns and sent scouts in different directions. About 5 o'clock news was received from Bradford that all had been captured near Sawyer City and on Wednesday they were once more snugly secured on their respective cells. The sheriff extends his hearty thanks to those who aided him in their capture.

JUPITER.

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Weekley Almshouse Fire.

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The Columbia Valentine.

One of the handsomest and most unique and original ideas in chromo-lithography is the Columbia valentine, just issued by the Pope manufacturing company, of Boston, Mass. The design, which is in twelve colors and mounted upon a panel, is a genuine work of art. The picture, from a painting by Copeland, of Boston, is artistically divided into three scenic sections. The first, a view of early sunrise, with fine atmospheric effect, represents the wheelman's morning ride, the centre scene, appropriately framed by the tire of an expert bicycle, is a strikingly beautiful view of picturesque country, a lady riding up on a tricycle accompanied by a mounted bicyclist, crossing a rustic bridge in the foreground, the last scene is a wheel by moonlight, the bright rays of the bull lights cutting the semi-darkness. Upon the back of the panel is a poem descriptive of the picture.

It Made a Difference.

"So you think your motor doesn't register properly?"

"I am sure it does not, sir."

"Well, we are so busy now we can't attend to it. We will send a man up about the middle of next month."

"I wish you would. I am sure it does not register more than half the gas I burn."

"Eh! Just wait a minute. I'll send a man right up with you now to test it?"—Chicago *News.*

Fire at Wellsboro.

The Coles' house, the Methodist church, and an elegant residence owned by Mr. William C Kreamer Wellsboro, were all destroyed by fire on Monday morning last. The hotel was partially insured and the church was insured for $10,000, which will cover its loss. The fire was thought to be the work of incendiaries.

Notice.

There will be a donation at the Kittredge opera house, Friday Feb'y 27 in the afternoon and evening for the benefit of Rev. F. H. Gates. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

By order Com.

A Chance for Capital.

A McKean county bond is better than a government bond—the interest is more and as sure, and no precaution is charged. If any of the latter have any money to invest there can be no safer or better investment than in these bonds, if they can be got. We understand that the county commissioners are now ready to place $25,000 of McKean county poor district bonds at 5 per cent. interest, running from two to eleven years, interest payable semi annually. These bonds will no doubt be readily snapped up, and if any of our own people have the money to invest they should not let this opportunity pass.

Vetoed the Gambling Act.

In the case of Dafur vs Donovan in Warren county a verdict was rendered Saturday morning in favor of Donovan. The history of the case is as follows: During the months of June and July, 1883, Donovan was buying and selling oil through Dafur as broker. He got up $3,000 margins and when that money was exhausted he asked Dafur to carry the oil a day or two until he could raise more money, which Dafur consented to do, but the oil was finally sold on a regular order from Donovan, leaving a balance due Dafur of $1,010 13, for which he asked Donovan to give a note to balance account due on two years. Then Donovan refused to do and Dafur brought suit to recover the amount in court. Donovan made no defence whatever except to plead the gambling act, in which the jury sustained him.—*Era.*

Returned to his First Love.

Fifteen and twenty years ago there was no man in McKean county, who we more certainly depended upon to stand up for republican men and measures, than Ransom Lambee, Esq., the veteran landlord of the town that bears his name, in Eldred township. For a few years past he has been following the false gods of democracy, but he tells us that the free-trade and shot gun policy of that party has thoroughly disrusted him, and he is once more a republican. He is tired of eating Jemocratic hooks and has returned to his father's house, under the shelter of which he proposes to remain the balance of his days.

Baptist Church.

The pulpit of this church will be supplied next Sunday by Rev. S. W. Landsley, of Cooper's Plains, Steuben Co., N. Y., the pastor being absent.

Preaching at Hamlin School House Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

New Barber Shop.

Mr. Henry J. Eachy, of Sedalia, will open the barber shop under the opera house Saturday, all in want of a good shave should give him a call.

Busy Bradford.

The interior of Berry's building on the public square is about finished and will soon be ready for tenants.

The fire police recently presented the Smethport hose company with an elegant silver pitcher as a testimonial of their regards.

The jewellers on the flats are getting ready for their annual flooding out time. They expect a big flood this year but having been through the mill before know how to get ready for it.

Three four-pads on Corydon street "held up" a late traveler one night last week but were badly left as to the size of his "pile," getting only a big copper cent and a pack knife. The crew will find it poor picking here this winter.

The democrats claim that the election was lost through Wm. Barrett of the third ward who ran independent for councilman, and as he was very popular got a large vote and broke things all up. He was not elected himself, but succeeded in giving the election to two republican councilmen and in beating Brewer Bolton for mayor. The council will now stand nine republicans to six democrats.

Jole Andrews was one of the old councilmen who failed to be re-elected this time. Jole made a good councilman but the vote against him was brought on by his unfortunate connection with Supervisor Keith.

Frank Fowler and J H Whitcomb of the third ward also failed to be re-elected to their seats in the councils, and H S Tucker of the second ward may also be unclouded with them. It was a bad day for the old councilmen. The people had decided to try a new batch for the coming year. In contrast to this was the re-election of every one of the old school board, whose time had run out, by good majorities. They have the satisfaction of knowing that the people have endorsed their actions.

Election day was the scene of a good deal of excitement at the different polling places in the city and the ward politicians were in their glory. The vote was quite large and no attention whatever was shown to party ties by the middle of the day. The race for the mayoralty was exciting and remarkably close. P M Shannon, the republican nominee being elected over Brewer Bolton, democrat, by only 12 majority. Both men were well liked by those who knew them and either one would have made a good mayor. C K McCaffery the democratic nominee for city treasurer proved to be wonderfully popular and was elected over J C Fox by a majority of 326. McCaffery is a young married man not being over 28 years old, and will make a good treasurer. For Controller J T Bishop was chosen by a majority of 71. McLean, democrat, his opponent made a good run but was knocked out by Bishop's large majority in the fourth ward.

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In West Philadelphia is located one of the largest Almshouses of the country. In its several quarters thousands of the indigent and insane of that city are made comfortable in the department set apart for the insane there were confined on Thursday last 556 inmates. That night a fire broke out which entirely destroyed that portion of the Almshouse, and the remains of not less than twenty of the poor creatures were found in the ruins. A dispatch from Philadelphia of Friday morning at says that many of the patients wandered about the streets last night almost naked. They seemed to be unable to understand the situation, and in some cases begged their captors pretentially not to throw them in the river. Others seemed to take it as a grand joke, and laughed gleefully when the subject of the fire was mentioned. One of these ran down South st. this morning with a manacle attached to his wrist and a few links of a chain dangling from it. He shrieked and laughed as he struck right and left among the frightened people. It was found necessary to knock him down before he could be secured. Another madman caused a panic in a street car, by rushing in half clad, with his face scorched and blackened. He sat cowering in a corner, and it was soon found that he was more frightened than those who had run away from him. The report that the streets were full of escaped maniacs caused much alarm in West Philadelphia, and strangers looked upon each other with much distrust.

Married the Gambling Act.

In the case of Dafur vs Donovan in Warren county a verdict was rendered Saturday morning in favor of Donovan. The history of the case is as follows: During the months of June and July, 1883, Donovan was buying and selling oil through Dafur as broker. He got up $3,000 margins and when that money was exhausted he asked Dafur to carry the oil a day or two until he could raise more money, which Dafur consented to do, but the oil was finally sold on a regular order from Donovan, leaving a balance due Dafur of $1,010 13, for which he asked Donovan to give a note to balance account due on two years. Then Donovan refused to do and Dafur brought suit to recover the amount in court. Donovan made no defence whatever except to plead the gambling act, in which the jury sustained him.—*Era.*

Returned to his First Love.

Fifteen and twenty years ago there was no man in McKean county, who we more certainly depended upon to stand up for republican men and measures, than Ransom Lambee, Esq., the veteran landlord of the town that bears his name, in Eldred township. For a few years past he has been following the false gods of democracy, but he tells us that the free-trade and shot gun policy of that party has thoroughly disrusted him, and he is once more a republican. He is tired of eating Jemocratic hooks and has returned to his father's house, under the shelter of which he proposes to remain the balance of his days.

Baptist Church.

The pulpit of this church will be supplied next Sunday by Rev. S. W. Landsley, of Cooper's Plains, Steuben Co., N. Y., the pastor being absent.

Preaching at Hamlin School House Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

New Barber Shop.

Mr. Henry J. Eachy, of Sedalia, will open the barber shop under the opera house Saturday, all in want of a good shave should give him a call.

Catching from Clermont.

Mr. J. D. Townsend and son Henry returned on Saturday night last from a two weeks' visit among relatives in Emporium and Lock Haven.

Dr. H. G. Brown and H. B. McCoy, of Smethport, were in town a few minutes on Tuesday night, the Dr. visiting Mrs. John H. Kane who has been quite sick for some time past.

The Odd Fellows are making preparations for a social gathering at Brower's Hall on Friday evening. It is purely a lodge affair, and no guests are expected outside of the members of the order and their families.

The Clermont and Instanter railroad was blockaded with snow on Monday and Tuesday last and in consequence there was no work in the mines. This was the first time this winter that the snow has made any trouble on the road.

The miners here have organized a beneficial society which now boasts sixty four members. The object is to care for such members in the way of an allowance of $5 per week when sick. The dues are 50 cents per month—or more if occasion demands it. The Sweden have also organized a similar body with a membership of fifty-six. The organization of such societies is certainly laudable.

Chas. Greenleaf, Jr., of Boston, Mass., and who has been in North and South Carolina, Tennessee, Arkansas and other southern states since last fall looking up lumber interests, has returned north and was in town over Sunday. Charley gives a very graphic description of people, manners and customs among the southerners. He left for Boston on Monday but will return in a few days to ship a large quantity of cherry lumber from here.

Town meeting passed off very quietly. The only contest was over supervisor and constable. However, the regular caucus ticket was elected with the exception of constable. The following is the ticket elected

Justices of the Peace—Robt Dick C H Beckwith Charles will make a very dignified Squire.

Assessor—J C Sonbergh

Assistant Assessors—L. Bayer, J H Tate

Constable—Stephen McKendrick

Supervisors—J W Anderson, Patrick Gaynor

Auditor—J H Desmond.

Judge of Election—G Perry

Inspectors—J D Provin, P J Finnell.

Poormasters—Fritz Bluck, H. Schinzelling

Town Clerk—R S Hoag

Treasurer—J H Tate

School Directors—E. Dack, O Perry.

Steven Up

Clermont, Pa., Feb'y 10, 1885.

Reduced Rates to the Inauguration via the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The inauguration of President-elect Cleveland on the 4th of March next promises to be a noteworthy event in the history of Washington. The citizens of the capital are working energetically and systematically to make the occasion a great success. In anticipation of an enormous throng of people, every effort is being put forth to provide accommodations for all who may come. Besides the regular hotels and boarding houses, with which the city is well equipped, numbers of private families have agreed to entertain visitors and sleeping accommodations are being improvised in halls and such other buildings as are suitable. There will doubtless be ample accommodations for all but those who desire to secure their lodgings in advance can do so by applying to Colonel L. P. Wright, Chairman of Committee on Public Comfort. Preparations for all the ceremonies are in the hands of competent committees, and every measure calculated to promote the comfort and pleasure of visitors will be carefully looked after.

For the benefit of the thousands of people who will be drawn from points along its lines, the Pennsylvania Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Washington from all stations on its system at greatly reduced rates. Its facilities for transporting passengers will be increased by the addition of special trains, which, with these regularly in service, will prove sufficient for all the demands of travel. The Baltimore and Potomac Station, Washington, into which all the trains of the Pennsylvania system run, is situated on Pennsylvania Avenue, in full view of the Capitol, on the line of march of the inaugural procession, and is easy of access to all the principal hotels and public buildings, and to any portion of the city by horse cars, bus, or carriage. The station is large, the facilities for handling incoming and outgoing trains and their contents are ample. Application should be made to local ticket agents of the Pennsylvania Railroad and its branches for full and detailed information as to tickets and rates.

The Philadelphia Press.

The Philadelphia *Weekly Press* promises to outrival the magazines, in their own field, besides giving all the news, helping the women, and furnishing valuable hints to the farmers at the same time. It has levied tribute upon the brains of the greatest of living statesmen scholars, and men of letters, and each week during the year it will publish three or four of these special articles, which will make the best of good reading until the next paper comes. Already have been printed articles by Admiral Porter, Mark Twain, Gen. Stone, Archbald Forbes, Robert Buchanan, Lieutenant Greely, Gen. C. C Long, Thomas A. Edison, Prof Procter and others. These will be followed by contributions from Gladstone, General Grant, and Mr. Blaine, poems by Oliver Wendell Holmes and Whittier, and stories by Wilkie Collins, Bret Harte, Ouida, Miss Braddon, and others. In short, the foremost men in statecraft, in art, science and literature, will make the *Weekly Press*, during the year 1885, a storehouse of story, song, discoveries and useful thought.

In addition Mr Robert P. Porter, formerly a member of the tariff commission, and now of the editorial staff of the *Press*, has already started to Europe, whence he will write a series of popular letters to that paper, presenting the economic condition of the European nations, showing the comparative cost of production, and the conditions of life of the European laborer in the shop, the mill, and on the farm. These letters will be of the highest value to every producer and workingman.

When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA
When she was a Child, she cried for CASTORIA
When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA
When she had Children, she gave them CASTORIA

BARGAINS in hats, bonnets, &c., guaranteed at Mrs. Nash's.

SLAUGHTER of hats and millinery goods has begun at Mrs. Nash's, who has placed on sale her entire stock of hats and other millinery goods, at prices to suit all classes of customers. This sale will continue until they are all disposed of. Call and get a bargain.

CASTORIA
for Infants and Children.
"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. Archer, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion.
Without injurious medication.
The Centaur Company, 182 Fulton Street, N. Y.

CENTAUR LINIMENT
An absolute cure for Rheumatism, Sprains, Pain in the Back, Burns, Colic, &c. An Instantaneous Pain-relieving and Healing Remedy.

Judge Wilson Home.

We are glad Judge Wilson is not proof against home-sickness. On Friday last the judge slipped into Wellsboro as quietly and suddenly as he slipped out a little more than three months ago. Of course he went to the court house at once. The judge was a great hand to hang around the court house before he went west, and the habit seems still strong with him. Everyone seemed to know he was there; lawyers and officers would come up the aisle, and the enlargement of their facial orifices was wonderful. If smiles are an indication of an honest welcome the judge must have felt that his old associates and friends were bound to let him know they were glad to see him, and the roars of laughter that woke the sleeping echoes and shook the dust from the window shades was proof that his three months western experience had not dulled his intellect nor deadened his humor. Judge Wilson speaks in the highest terms of New Mexico, its people and professional men. He says he has held court almost constantly for three months—it seems to agree with him, for he is looking exceedingly well. He will return this week.—Wellsboro *Advocate.*

F. C. OLDS, Farmers Valley, keeps constantly on hand a choice line of groceries, which he sells at low prices, considering quality

ALL kinds of smoking and chewing tobacco at H. C. Wells

$50 goes if Catarrhine fails to help or cure the worst cases of corks, scratches, sore necks or wounds of any kind on horse or man. Sold by H. C. Wells Price 50 cts.

FINEST cigars in town at H C Wells' drug store.

A FULL line of patent medicines at H C Wells' drug store Main St.

WHITE Pine Petroleum Hoof Ointment, for hard and feverish hoofs. Sold by H. C. Wells. Price 35 cts

A LARGE stock of visiting cards and fancy stationary at Wells' drug store.

H. C. WELLS sells the finest cigars in town, try them

TONIC Laxative Horse Powders, the only guaranteed purely vegetable powder in the market, put up in tin cans. Price 25 cts Sold by H. C. Wells

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

PHILADELPHIA & ERIE DIVISION TIME TABLE, NOV. 17, 1884

Daily Except Sunday

TRAINS LEAVE EMPORIUM JUNCTION EASTWARD

4 15, a m —Day Express for Sunbury, Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster, Philadelphia, New York. Baltimore and Washington, arriving at Philadelphia 7 50 a m, New York 11 20 a m, Baltimore 9 05 a m, Washington 9 30 a m. Through Pullman Parlor cars are run on this train from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington and through passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore.

8 50 a m —Erie Mail for Sunbury Harrisburg and intermediate stations, Lancaster Philadelphia, New York, Baltimore and Washington. Through Pullman Sleeping cars are run on this train from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore and Washington and through passenger cars from Erie to Philadelphia and from Williamsport to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

11 15 a m —Erie Mail for Erie and all intermediate stations with through Pullman Palace car and through passenger coaches to Erie

7 10 p m —Niagara Express for Erie and intermediate stations with through passenger coaches to Kane

THROUGH TRAINS for EMPORIUM JUNCTION FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH

Niagara Express leaves Philadelphia 7 40 a m Baltimore 7 20 a m, arrives at Emporium Junction 7 10 p m, with through Pullman Parlor car from Philadelphia to Williamsport Erie Mail leaves New York via Pennsylvania R R 9 00 a m, Philadelphia 12 00 p m, Washington 10 40 p m, Baltimore 11 20 p m, arriving at Emporium Junction 12 05 a m, with through Pullman Sleeping cars from Philadelphia to Erie and from Washington and Baltimore to Williamsport and through passenger coaches from Philadelphia to Erie

J. H. WOOD, Gen'l Passenger Agt.

CHAS. E. PUGH, General Manager

TEACHERS Make $70 to $150 per month selling our Standard Books and Bibles. Exclusive territory. Send for circulars and special terms. Address, J. C. McCurdy & Co., Phila.

LEGAL.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF ALIAS VENDITIONI Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean County, and to me directed, I shall expose to public sale at the Court House, in the Borough of Smethport, Pa., on Monday, the 23d day of February, 1885, at 2 o'clock p m.

All the defendants interest in and to all the following described lot or parcel of land situate in the Borough of Smethport, Pa., and known as the Keating House lot, being on the corner of Main and Water streets and having about seven square rods, bounded on the west by Mechanic street and on the north by Corydon street and being same premises conveyed by Horace Little Executor of estate of Daniel Kingbury deceased, to John Rutherford and Daniel F. Bell First by deed dated January 1st 1867 and recorded in Mckean county records with the appurtenances, one frame church building about 60x34 feet in size now occupied by one Baptist Society, one frame building in process of age or dwelling with one-story shed in rear and out-house, one 1-story wooden building now used as a 1-story rear extension, out-houses, etc. four 2-story frame dwelling houses with out-houses etc one 2-story frame dwelling house with one-story rear extension shed, out-house etc, one 2-story frame dwelling house with 2-story rear extension and bay window, and small house, one 1½ story frame building with shed extension, out-house and small barn

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of The First Universalist Society of Bradford at the suit of James F. Hill.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

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Mullin & McClure, Att'ys

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Also—One house and lot in the city of Bradford, McKean county Pennsylvania, known as No 22 Boynton street.

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All the defendants interest in and to all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in Bradford township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at the south side of Main street one hundred twelve and one-half (112½) feet easterly from the southeast corner of Amna and Bishop streets and running thence southerly one hundred (100) feet to the north line of No 101, thence easterly twenty-five (25) feet along the north line of lots Nos 101 and 120, thence northerly one hundred (100) feet to Main street, thence westerly along south line of Main street to place of beginning, being the west half of lot No 107, and the east half of lot No 106 on plot and map of Bayne, Amna & Kennedy lands made in June, 1874, by George T. Webb, surveyor. Together with one one-story wooden dwelling house with shed extension in rear, two out-houses, etc. situate thereupon and being the same. All being known as premises No. 10, Main street, city of Bradford.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of S. C. Davis, George Stone and John Riley at the suit of Robert Walker for use of H. A. Ring.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

Smethport, Pa., Feb'y 4th, 1885.
Wolf & George, Att'ys.

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All the defendants interest in and to all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in Bradford township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at the southeast corner of lot No 6 running thence north 24 degrees west along the line of said lot No 6, thence north 66 degrees west 160 feet, thence south 24 degrees east 160 feet, thence south 66 degrees east 160 feet to the place of beginning, containing one-fourth of an acre and being the same premises conveyed by Horace Colegrove and wife to A bert Newberg by deed dated January 1, 1875; improved and having thereon erected a two-story frame building, the lower part now occupied as a store, the upper used as a dwelling.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Charles Newberg and A. Newberg at the suit of J. L. Nicks

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

Smethport, Pa., Feb'y 4th, 1885.
P Ford, Att'y.

New Spring Goods
MISS CARSON
Has just received a complete stock of the latest styles of
Millinery Goods!
And is prepared to supply patrons with HATS and BONNETS trimmed in the
LATEST AND FRESHEST STYLES.
Give her a call before purchasing. Don't forget the place: DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE COURT HOUSE (next door to Young's store.)

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All the defendants interest in and to all that certain lot or parcel of ground in the city of Bradford, county of McKean, and state of Pennsylvania, described as follows, to-wit: Being a part of lot 117 in 1st ward, situate on the southwest corner of Main and Boylston streets and bounded on the south by Main street 50 feet, on the west by Boylston street 50 feet on Kennedy street and 54 feet on Boylston street and bounded on the south by John Rutherford, his heirs and assigns, and being the same premises conveyed to the said Thomas Kervin by deed of Daniel Kingbury et al, dated March 1st 1864 and recorded in Mckean county records, and having thereon erected a two-story frame house.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of H. B. Steele, Clarissa Rutherford and Addie Vaughn, Executrix of Josa Rutherford, deceased, and Executrix of the City of Bradford, 2nd Ward School District.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

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G. R. McCalmont, Att'y.

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All the defendants interest in and to all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate in Otto township McKean county, state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at the northeast corner of said tract of land, thence south 160 rods to a post, thence west twenty-five rods to a post, thence north 160 rods to a post, thence east twenty-five rods to the place of beginning, containing twenty-five acres more or less, and having thereon one oil well, one engine, one boiler, one tubing, casing, rods, tanks, rigs, fittings, fixtures and machinery.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of J. Kemp Bartlett at the suit of C. S. Whitney use of A. E. Parker.

A. F. BANNON, Sheriff.

Smethport, Pa., Feb'y 4th, 1885.
Berry & Jack, Att'ys

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All the defendants interest in and to all the following described piece or parcel of land situate in Norwich township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit:—Beginning at a point in the centre of the highway north 31 degrees west 11 rods from A. Newbegin's store, thence along the rods from A. Newbegin's store, thence along the road north 31 degrees east

MISCELLANEOUS.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

A reliable remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys, Liver and Stomach, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and Fevers, Nervousness, Lack of Energy, Impure Blood, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Weakness, etc.

It is an entirely vegetable preparation, and does not contain whiskey, which in all other bitters is the principal ingredient. It will not blacken the teeth, cause headache or produce constipation—all other iron medicines do. It enriches the blood, is a specific for Diseases of the Kidneys and Liver, and a perfect substitute for Quinine, Whiskey, Arsenic, Opium, etc. It is the only preparation of iron that will not injure the teeth, cause headache or produce constipation. Take no other after using Brown's Iron Bitters. Genuine has trade mark and crossed red lines on wrapper. Take no other. Made only by BROWN CHEMICAL CO., BALTIMORE, MD.

CONSTIPATION!

There is no medium through which Disease so often attacks the system as by Constipation, and there is no other ill that is bear to more apt to be neglected, from the fact that its inconvenience may not be immediately felt from irregular action of the bowels. When there is not regular action the retention of decayed and effete matter, with its poisonous gases, soon poisons the whole system by being absorbed into it, causing pains, colds, headache, impure blood and many other serious affections. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS will immediately relieve, and one bottle gives ready cure or relieves any case of Constipation.

"Was troubled for a year with Torpid Liver and Indigestion, and after trying everything imaginable used BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. The first bottle relieved me and the second cured me entirely."—J. S. Williamson, Kutztown N. Y.

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